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Honorable Sir:

This is a reply to the Office Action dated May 7, 2004 regarding the above-identified, patent application. A petition and fee of \$110.00 for a one month extension is enclosed. By the Office Action dated May 7, 2004, this application was removed from appeal, the previous rejections were withdrawn and new grounds for rejection were cited. Claims 1-11 and 14-21 are pending in the application.

A **Current Status of the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.